

**REPORT OF THE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE TO THE
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

June 2010

Meetings: Members of the International Relations Committee of the Legislative Council met on February 10, 2010.

- The Committee finalized preparations for Canada Day at the Iowa Statehouse.
- The Committee met with the state Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman, who introduced Mr. Hee Eun Kang, a government official from the Republic of Korea.
- The Committee reviewed its budget.

Canada Day 2010

The International Relations Committee sponsored "Canada Day at the Iowa Statehouse" on Wednesday, February 17, 2010. The events included an introduction of the Consul General of Canada in the Senate and in the House of Representatives. The Consul General gave remarks in both chambers. The Committee introduced a resolution which was read in both chambers and presented the Canadian guests with gifts. The Canadian Embassy that evening hosted an invitation only reception for government officials, legislators and their spouses, and special guests at the Embassy Suites. The Committee hosted a breakfast for the Canadian visitors in the Governor's office on Thursday morning.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Helen Miller, Chairperson

Senator Daryl Beall, Vice Chairperson